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ON BX MSN 6856 FLOWN 8 FEB 68.

REF 67 RTS IPIR MESSAGE L01084 DTG 090130Z MAR 68. DETAILED EXAMINATION OF COVERAGE OF THE CENTRAL LAOS PANHANDLE, WITH EMPHASIS IN THE AREA IMMEDIATELY WEST OF KHE SANH, REVEALED NO SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY HOWEVER SMALL SCALE IMAGERY LIMITED INTERPRETATION. THE AREA WEST OF KHE SANH IS CRISS-CROSSED WITH A MAZE OF ROADS, VEHICLE TRACKS, AND TRAILS, ALL SHOWING SIGNS OF RECENT MODERATE TO HEAVY USE.

PART 1. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

A. ALL NEW TGTS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

ITM01: BAN DONG BANG AFLD (NEW) SGM: NONE CIY: LA 164610N1045130E

DES: NE/SW SVC GRADED EARTH RWY 2100 X 190 FT WITH 380 FT

OVERRUN AT SW END. 23 SML STOR TYPE BLDGS ON NORTH SIDE OF RWY.

26 SML STOR TYPE BLDGS, 10 STOR/SPT BLDGS ON SOUTH SIDE OF RWY.

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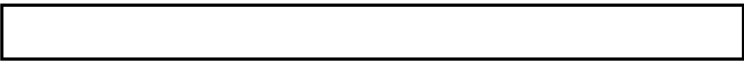
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ENTIRE AREA IS ENCLOSED. FENCED AREA IS APX 3000 X 1800 FT.
GRADED EARTH PERIMETER ROAD/LANE INTERCONNECTS ALL BLDGS AND
BOTH ENDS OF RWY. LOCATED 6 NM NORTH OF BAN DONG BANG.
AOB:NONE.

GFW:2 PROB VEH.

BEN [REDACTED] CMR:NONE WXR:CLEAR CVG:TOTAL

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ITM02: BAN DONG HENE AFLD SGM:NONE CTY:LA 164200N1051700E

DES:NE/SW SVC GRADED EARTH RWY 1250 X 80 FT. 1 LGE BLDG SE OF
RWY. RWY IS IN SPT OF DONG HENE ARMY BKS [REDACTED].
LOCATED 15.7 NM EAST OF SENO AFLD.

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BEN: [REDACTED] CMR:NONE WXR:CLEAR CVG:TOTAL

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ITM03: BAN NOI HWY BR OV HOUEI THAHASGM:NONE CTY:LA 165153N1045438E

DES:DECK, PROB CONCRETE/WOOD, NR SPANS UNK, 250 X 10 FT. MOD
CONST ACTY NOTED ON BOTH SIDES OF RIVER. ROAD BEING WIDENED
FROM APX 10 FT TO APX 30 FT. IT APPEARS A NEW BRIDGE WILL BE
BUILT IN LIEU OF OR ADJ TO OLD BRIDGE. BRIDGE IS EASILY
BYPASSED BY FORD WHICH IS LOCATED APX 1500 FT WEST. LOCATED

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GPW:5 UI PROB CONST VEH.

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SGM:NONE CTY:LA 163813N1062452E

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WNW TO CROSS HOUAY DAX AT XD273447, NW TO CROSS HOUAY TAMPROK

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AT XD024494, NNW TO CROSS HOQUAY ALOM VICINITY XD005538, NW TO
VICINITY WD980580 WHERE ROAD IS LOST IN TREE CANOPY, APRX 4 NM
SOUTH OF RTE 91. DIRECTION OF ROAD INDICATES IT WILL JOIN RTE 91
AND MAY SERVE AS A MAJOR ALTERNATE TO RTES 91 AND 23. (SE
TERMINUS OF ROAD NOTED IN NPIC R-24/68).

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PART 2. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

A. BONUS IGTS COVERED

ITM07:BA KEV MILITARY BKS SGM:NONE CTY:CB 134158N1071243E

DES:APRX 12 BKS, 1 ADMIN BLDG, 1 MESSING FCLTY, AND 7 SPT

BLDGS. OBL PRECLUDES INTPR. LOCATED 15.5 NM WSW OF BOUNG LONG
AFLO.

GFW:NONE DISCERNIBLE.

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DES:2 AREAS. (1) TRIANGULAR STRONG POINT 330 FT A SIDE
CONTAINING 2 LGE SPT BLDGS. (2) CLEARED AREA CONTAINING 1 MED
SPT BLDG AND 3 HUTS. LOCATED 25 NM WEST OF BOUNG LONG AFLD.
GFV:NONE.

BEN: CMR:NONE WXR:CLEAR CVG:TOTAL

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ITM09:MUONG PHALANE ARMY BKS SGM:NONE CTY:LA 1639404, 1053350E

DES:2 BKS, 1 ADMIN BLDG, 3 WHSE TYPE STOR BLDGS, 6 SML STOR/SPT
BLDGS, LIMITED OPEN STOR, AND EXT TRENCH WORK IN AREA. LOCATED
ON NORTH EDGE OF MUONG PHALANE.

&12:NONE.

BEN CMR:NONE WXR:CLEAR CVG:TOTAL

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ITM10:BAK RUCK NOI DEFENSE POSITIONS SGM:NONE CTY:LA 163604N 105130E

DES:CIRCULAR CLEARING. SAWTOOTH, TRIANGULAR FIRING TRENCH
INSIDE PERIMETER FENCE AND 5 SPT BLDGS. LOCATED .7 NM NE OF
BAK RUCK NOI.

BEN CMR:NONE WXR:CLEAR CVG:TOTAL

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ITM11: BAN PHUONG MOI HWY BR OV STRMSGM: NONE CTY: LA 163728N 1063310E

DES: BRIDGE HAS BEEN COMPLETELY DESTROYED. WOODEN FOOT BRIDGE
OVER SITE. FORD APRX 30 FT NORTH OF SITE. LOCATED .7 NM NW OF
BAN PHUONG MOI.

BEN: [REDACTED] CMR: NONE WXR: CLEAR CVG: TOTAL

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ITM12: PHUM PU NHAI STOR FCLTYS SGM: NONE CTY: CB 134310N 1072655E

DES: 3 MED STOR BLDGS, 11 SML STOR BLDGS. LIGHT TRACK ACTY IN
AREA. LOCATED 28 NM WEST OF BOUNG LONG AFLD.

BEN: [REDACTED] CMR: NONE WXR: CLEAR CVG: TOTAL

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ITM13: BA KEV COMPLEX SGM: NONE CTY: CB 134155N 1071230E

DES: SML RESIDENTIAL AREA WITH APRX 12 BLDGS.

BEN: [REDACTED] CMR: NONE WXR: CLEAR CVG: TOTAL

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